SLUMP IN COPPER SHARES CAUSES FAILURES.

National Bank was forced to suspend, is due to the enormous shrinkage in the value of copper securities. The present market values are nearly \$190,000,000 less than they were on January 1, 1899, and during the first twenty days of December of this year the shrinkage was nearly \$50,000,000. The following tables show the fail in values: THE DECEMBER SHRINKAGE, THE YEAR'S SHRINKAGE,

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Recent Big Failures Due to Standard Oil Copper Squeeze.

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	A	\$11,000,000
Henry Allen & Co., brokers		1,000,000
The Charles A. Vogeler Company, Bultimore		200,000
John P. Squires Company, Cambridge, Mass		3,000,000
Broadway National Bank, Boston		3,000,000
Globe National Bank, Hoston		10,000,000

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10.817 employment "Want" Advts., which is 3,311 more than any other newspaper. newspaper.

JUROR DECLARES HE CAN'T TRACE PART OF THE PROOF TO MOLINEUX.

to See a Resemblance Between Medical Letters and the Prisoner's Writing.

Startles All by Making the Remark After Examining Expert Tyrrell About Barnet and Cornish Communications.

Plans of the State Are Changed by the Unexpected Statement, and Mr. Tyrrell Will Be Put Back on the Stand.

M ATHLAS L, B. MARTIN, foreman of the jury, who has continually asked questions during the progress of he Molineux trial, astonished both the deonce and the prosecution toward the last f the afternoon session yesterday by de-laring from his place in the box that he ould not agree with the expert as to the His questions and opinions caused much

again this morning, in order to combat the confusion caused by Foreman Martin.

on the stand to-day.

MARTIN SPEAKS OUT. Expert Tyrrell had completed his answers to the cross-examination of Mr. Weeks. terrogatories, Mr. Weeks had no more

Benefited the Trusts.
In Boston the Standard Off crowd, during the money squeeze, captured the United States Off Company at their own figure; also the United States Off Company and the Wontana Mining Company, which have had been wanting for a long time. The same situation served well the Amour Swift combination. It enabled them to gather in the only important independing the money squeeze, captured the United States Off Company at their own figure; also the United States Off Company at their own figure; also the United States Mining Company, which was a few questions, and the expert was about to be excussed when Foreman Martin announced that he wanted to ask a few questions, and the expert was about to be excussed when Foreman Martin announced that he wanted to ask a few questions, and the expert was about to be excussed when Foreman Martin announced that he wanted to ask a few questions, and the expert was about to be excussed when Foreman Martin announced that he wanted to ask a few questions, and the expert was about to be excussed when Foreman Martin announced that he wanted to ask a few questions, and the expert was about to be excussed when Foreman Martin announced that he wanted to ask a few questions. He held in his hand two photographs, and the wanted to ask a few questions. He held in his hand two photographs, and the expert was about to be excussed when Foreman Martin announced that he wanted to ask a few questions. He held in his hand two photographs, and the oppining that he wanted to ask a few questions. He held in his hand two photographs, and the oppining that he wanted to ask a few questions. He held in his hand two photographs, and the oppining his problem of the disputed band with the wind two pid for the cornish letter, also declared by the prosecution to be in the disguised hand of the defendant. The dates of the receipt of these letter makes the match the trust of the cornish letter, which is a standard of the cornish letter, and the cornish two parting for the cornish letter, which is a s

"Yes," said Mr. Tyrrell, "I have so GETS \$50 A DAY.

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"That the foreman of the jury should expense the press himself as practically convinced on a contention the State had persistently urged pleased as much as it startled Mr. Osborne.

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RUINED HUNDREDS

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Mr. Osborne looked appealingly at the foreman, but he had no other question.

cross the pathway of the expert; but at nch step Mr. Tyrrell grew only the more



er and the Cornish letter, you show the address was written, will be accepted as convince you that the on which the address was written, will you kindly show us how there could have you kindly show us how there could have been any wrist rest by indicating now the laguise. I am certain that the unconscious haracteristics in the Barnet and Cornish aracteristics in the Barnet and Cornish etters reveal that the defendant wrote them."

The expert took the box, and Mr. Osborne arose and declared that the question was created that the defendant wrote them."

FROM GRUBER'S SAVED QUIGG

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In vain Molineux's lawyer laid ropes TOO MANY SIMILARITIES.

"Would it not take you," said Mr. Osborne, "forever to point out the other simil ositive as to the authorship of the disputed and writing; so, at 5 o'clock. Weeks passed is hand across his brow and sat down, puted handwriting of the defendant?" ils hand across his brow and sat down, saying:

"I should not exactly say that; but I should not exactly say that; but I should say that they are practically inexhaust like they that Molineux was suspected."

"Yes; mexnaust", "said Nr. Osborne, FOREMAN MARTIN.

Expert Tyrrell Explaining a Knotty Problem.

Foreman Martin questioned Tyrrell very closely about the Cornish and Barnet letters in the Molineux trial, and then astonished all by remarking that he could not see the reputed resemblance between them and the admitted writing of the defendant. In consequence the State will send the expert to the stand again to-day to dwell further upon the contention of the people that Molineux wrote all the letters. Juror Post leaned over Mr. Martin's shoulder and listened intently during the brief colloquy.

FROM GRUBER'S SCHEME.

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JUROR W. G. POST.

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Effects of the Republican Stat Committee Are Levled Upon.

The Sheriff is in technical possessi all the property and effects of the Recan State Committee in its headqu at the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

Deputy Sheriff George Rinn went committee rooms yesterday and levied execution issued upon a judgment a Treasurer McAlpin in favor of Edg Franklin, spellbinder and pamphlet As there was no one represently

committee in the rooms when Rinn

onged to the hotel and what to th mittee, he levied on everything in s In the meantime Rinn is looking the committee, to make a formal d upon him for the amount of the judg Will Appeal the Case. He will also ask the General to tel

count and what funds are on hand. thur Hurst, counsel for General Mc. and the committee, said yesterday The present judgment is an affirma by the General Term of the City Court the decree of a trial term entered a lin \$450 and costs for his services du the Roosevelt-Van Wyck campaign.

the trial of the case Franklin said the committee had promised to pay \$450 for speeches to be delivered at man meetings and for a pamphlet wi he was to write to influence the votes those following the fortunes of the tman-American Reform Union. He that all he ever received for these vices was the sum of \$17.

Treasurer McAlpin went upon the st and swore that he had agreed to pay plaintiff for his services at the rate \$25 n week, and that he had paid him

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